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WENTWORTH CONTINUES THE HABIT

The Annual Thanksgiving Game With Kemper Results in A Slashing Victory of 27 to 0.

There's no denying the fact that all habits, whether for good or evil, are hard to break. In 1905, after two successive defeats by Kemper by scores of 11 to 0, and 22 to 11, Wentworth began a practice of defeating Kemper that has since formed into a habit. In 1905, at Sedalia, was staged the most bitterly contested game that has ever been played between the two military schools. It was a game that will live always in the memories of those who saw it. There Wentworth took the first "shot" of a habit that has fastened itself upon each succeeding team, and yesterday the virus was immune to any antidote that Kemper had to offer.

The Kemper battalion came in a special train and arrived about 11:30. The Wentworth battalion was in line at the station to receive them. There the parade was formed with approximately six hundred cadets in line and marched to the center of the town where the Kemper cadets were dismissed for dinner.

The scene at the field renewed old age and was inspiring to the young. The Kemper boys were the first to appear on the field and took seats in the north bleachers. When the Wentworth Battalion came, the Kemper cadets paid them a very nice compliment by standing at salute until the column had passed. They then uncorked a yell that scared the cotton tails over in Ray county.

The preliminaries were soon over and the contest was on. Kemper won the toss and elected to receive the kick. After three attempts to advance the ball, they were forced to kick. Wentworth then took up the burden of advancing the ball, and without a hitch or a bobble, walked right thru, over and around the visitors to a touchdown. Byler made the last lap and then kicked goal. Following the goal, Wentworth kicked off again. Kemper was soon forced to punt. Wentworth was penalized and had to kick. Kemper made two beautiful forward passes aggregating forty yards, and then annulled

it all by fumbling on Wentworth's twenty yard line. Wentworth kicked out of danger. On the second play thereafter, Kemper made another bid for a score by skirting Wentworth's left flank for forty-five yards. They could go no further and kicked. The quarter ending with the ball in Kemper's possession near the middle of the field.

The second quarter was very productive for Wentworth. After attempts by both teams to rush the ball, Kemper punted to Cook, who caught the ball on his own ten yard line and dodged and bucked his way thru the whole Kemper team for a touchdown. This was easily the climax of the game and a very fitting one for any game. The goal added another point. Wentworth kicked off again and soon had possession of the ball at the middle of the field. Two long forward passes were completed, Simmons being on the receiving end of one and made a most difficult catch. Two other short passes were completed and then Cies jammed his way over for the third touchdown of this half. The try for goal was a fizzle. Score at the end of the first half: Wentworth 20; Kemper 0.

The second half was not a repetition of the first by a long shot. Kemper's defense stiffened to the extent of holding Wentworth to one touchdown. On the kickoff, Brizendine caught the ball and plowed his way for twenty yards before being downed. Wentworth, however, could go no further and had to kick. Kemper returned to right away and the ball rolled and rolled—Cook finally fell on it on his own twenty yard line. Rushing the ball was slow business for both sides, but after it had seen-sawed back and forth several times, Wentworth secured possession of the ball on Kemper's twenty yard line from which point Byler carried it over for the fourth and last touchdown of the game. Byler kicked goal. Score 27 to 0.

In the final quarter, Kemper intercepted a forward pass and came within—but, no matter, he didn't get away and the last chance for Kemper to score went by the board.

Officials: T. A. Butler (Mich.) referee; Dr. Smith (Fayette) umpire; Harry West (Spaulding's) head linesman.

Artists Please Large Audience.

An audience of considerable size and musical discrimination heard an attractive program given in Murrell Auditorium, Central College Tuesday evening. The two artists who appeared were Miss Richardson, Soprano, and Mrs. Fowler Forbes, Violinist, both members of the music faculty of Central.

Miss Richardson possesses a soprano voice of sympathetic quality and excellent timbre. It shows to especial advantage in the upper tones, where in every gradation and dynamic the production retains its freedom and clarity. In style the singers numbers were evidently chosen with careful intent as to variety and a high sense of what is worthwhile. The audience enjoyed her work thoroughly and she was recalled after every number; she responded with only one encore—Cadman's "The Land of the Sky Blue Water."

Mr. Conrad's presence at the piano was a pleasing feature of Miss Richardson's numbers.

Mrs. Forbes did not make her initial bow to Lexington. Her appearance recalled, at least, one delightful program here several years ago, and the audience was prepared to receive her more than cordially. Her thorough artistry is recognized by musicians at once and her exquisite tone and digital dexterity attracts and satisfies the layman. Mrs. Forbes was weary with a difficult and delayed trip to Lexington and did not respond to the repeated encores accorded her until the last number when she returned and played a very lovely number without accompaniment. In all her program numbers she was excellently supported at the piano by Miss Jessie Wayland.

The program:

Concerto, A minor	Vieuxtemps
So Shall the Lute and Harp	
Awake	Handel
Melodie	Gluck-Kreisler
Slavonic Dance	Dvorak-Kreisler
Chanson Triste	Duparc
Elsa's Dream (Lohengrin)	Wagner
Child's Dream	Ysaye
Mazurka (Obertass)	Wienawski
In Qdella Trine Morbide (Manon Lescaut)	Puccini
My Noble Knights (Les Huguenots)	Meyerbeer
Russian Airs	Wienawski
Accompanists:	
D. F. Conrad	
Jessie Wayland	

LEXINGTON HIGH 13; NORBORNE 0

The local High School football team turned the tables on the Norborne boys Thursday and gave them a 13 to 0 beating. Early in the season the Norborne lads gave Lexington a 26 to 13 drubbing, but Thursday a different drama was enacted, with "pep" and "coaching" the heroes.

The game was late in starting on account of the visitors not being able to cross the river.

Poor Bunny!

The county clerk's office did a land office business Tuesday in issuing hunter's license. 37 were granted permission to carry a gun, and walk their legs off.

Oscar Graendorf has bought the Leroy Glish residence at the corner of Nineteenth and Franklin streets. Consideration \$2,400.

Mrs. C. H. Cunningham left Friday morning for her home in Sacramento, Cal., after a visit here with the family of Elias Spruce. Mrs. Spruce accompanied her as far as Kansas City.

Death of Mrs. Eliza Gaw Hyde.

Mrs. Eliza Gaw Hyde, widow of the late Dr. G. W. Hyde, died at her home, 287 Southwest Boulevard, Saturday evening at 11:10 o'clock. Her death was due directly to a paralytic stroke which she suffered the previous Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hyde was born in Dover, Mo., January 31, 1839, and was near the completion of her seventy-sixth year. She was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gaw, of Dover, where Mr. Gaw was a pioneer settler and merchant. Mrs. Hyde was twice married, first to Edward Garnett of Saline county, who died within the same year. On March 2, 1880, she was married to Dr. G. W. Hyde then of Booneville, Mo., and moved to Lexington in 1881, where the family home has since been. Dr. Hyde's death occurred August 6, 1914.

Lexington College cherished Mrs. Hyde as one of its first alumnae and was always the recipient of great love and assistance from this good woman, who was intellectually a pioneer and whose mental alertness was retained to her last day. She was a woman of fine sympathies, devoted to her household and helpful to all who came within range of her acquaintance and interest. In church work she was especially prominent and was active in all departments. Other benevolences were given their fair share of attention by her, and she was one of the organizers of the U. D. C. in Missouri, in which she always retained her interest and prominence.

One sister, Mrs. A. E. Asbury, of Higginsville, survives Mrs. Hyde. A younger sister died in early youth.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the family residence, and was conducted by Rev. G. Garland Riggan.

Death of Mrs. James Waddell.

Mrs. James White Waddell, formerly Miss Bell Hunter, of this county, died at the home of Frank Groves in Kansas City, Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Her death was due to complication of diseases.

The body was brought to Lexington and taken to the home of John E. Burden, where the funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Coleman Eckle Commissioned in The Regulars.

Coleman Eckle, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Eckle, returned Tuesday night from the second officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan with a commission of provisional second lieutenant in the Regular Army in his pocket. Lieut. Eckle has been assigned to the 12th Cavalry and will report for duty in the near future at Columbus, New Mexico. Good work, Coleman.

Soldiers Spend Sunday Here.

The following Lexington boys from Camp Funston, spent Sunday with home folks:

Roy Sullens, Roy Rosewell, Louis and Albert Meierer, Virgil Woodruff and Richard Perry. E. M. Taubman went to Kansas City this morning on business.

Discharged From The Army.

The following Lexington boys returned Saturday night from Camp Doniphan, having received honorable discharges for various causes: Clyde Eaton, Chas. Bock, Dirk Fieldkamp, Sanford Calmese and Fritz Reizing.

Celebrates 67th Birthday.

Judge Zach Wright Thursday celebrated his 67th birthday and in accordance with a custom he has followed for years, he and Mrs. Wright gave a dinner at his home to a number of his friends. These dinners are famous for the profusion of delectable things served and the preparation of the same.

Judge Wright's guests always do full justice to each and every dish with appetites stimulated by the cordiality and hospitality of the host. Judge Wright is a Kentuckian, and claims the distinction of being the only Kentuckian not born in the Blue Grass section of the state; however, if that be true, and the axiom holds that the blue grass region imparts virtues of character to its native sons, Judge Wright's friends conclude that all Kentucky is covered with that special shade of verdure.

The Intelligencer wishes Judge Wright many more birth day anniversaries.

One Auto Kills One Hog.

Saturday night a party from Wellington, driving an Auto, encountered a couple of porkers in the road above Myrick. One of the porkers tried to hog the Auto out of the road, and did. The Auto went over a ten foot embankment, and the porker went where all good porkers go—dead. Dogs took up the chase of the other porker and killed it. Result: two dead hogs aggregating about 500 pounds, and a disabled Auto. No Hooverizing in that.

Mr. and Mrs. George Guenther and baby left Wednesday for their home in Lusk, Wyoming, after a visit here with Mrs. Elizabeth Guenther. Miss Carrie Guenther accompanied them as far as Kansas City.

W. D. MENG LANDS-A SNAP

Appointed Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of United States Senate.

D. W. Meng, son of Mrs. John W. Meng, of this city has been appointed assistant sargeant-at arms of the United States Senate to succeed John T. Wayland, resigned. He will go to Washington about December 1st.

Mr. Meng has been the "Missouri Notes" man of the Kansas City Star for the past four years. Formerly he was connected with the Kansas City Journal. He, perhaps, enjoys a wider acquaintances with newspaper men and politicians than any man in Missouri, and is deservedly popular with all of them. He is a good mixer and we believe that he will "fill" the bill.

Death of Mrs. M. J. Chinn.

Mrs. M. J. Chinn, a sister of Mrs. Frank Bowman of this city, died at six o'clock Tuesday evening at her home in Kansas City. She was formerly Miss Webb of Higginsville, and was 59 years old.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, Manville J. Chinn, Jr., William V., and Benjamin C. Chinn, all of Kansas City. Four brothers and one sister also survive her.

The funeral was held at the home in Kansas City at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The body was brought to Lexington this morning and buried direct from the train.

Suicide at Concordia.

William M. Schroeder committed suicide at his home in Concordia Monday morning about 8 o'clock, by shooting the top of his head off with a shot gun. Mr. Schroeder was 41 years of age. He leaves a wife. The act is attributed to despondency.

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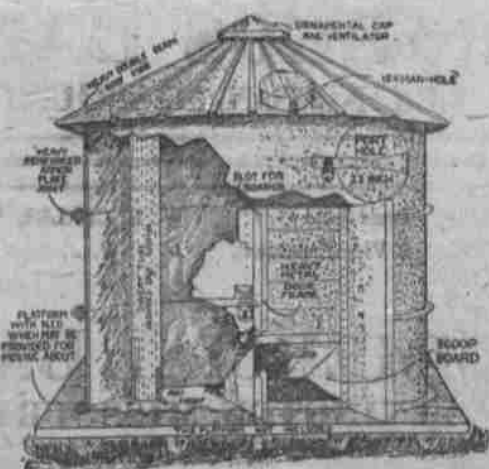
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